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75c to \$1.50 buys a fur-trimmed slipper for mother or sister. 75c to \$1.50 buys a leather and velvet slipper for father or brother. 35c buys warm lined kid for baby. 75c to \$1.50 buys line boys' shoes for service, 11 to 2 and 2 1/2, 5 1/2. See our general line for what you want.

Infants' Line Specially Strong. 25c buys blue, pink, black or white button, soft soles. 50c buys a much handsomer one, same colors. 75c buys soft kid, lace or button, 5 to 8.

Ladies' Department. We are showing a swell line of beaded vamp strap slippers in red and black.

To Close. \$1.50 buys patent leather shoe, button, were \$4.50, broken sizes. \$1.50 buys woman's Douglas welt, button, were \$3.00, broken sizes. \$2.00 buys woman's Douglas welt lace, were \$3.00, broken sizes.

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FRIDAY, DEC. 8, 1899.

Taylor will yet get his dues, Goebel and Woodson are said to have fallen out.

Justice will hide her face in shame and elections become a mockery to the people if the gubernatorial certificate is not given to General Taylor.

It is dollars to doughnuts that the Louisville Courier-Journal bolts the free silver ticket as soon as the present election muddle is settled.

Expansion is growing in the south. The leaders of that section are among its strongest supporters. Almost daily a new advocate springs to the "barriers."

The supreme court hit the trusts a hard blow, but congress, on recommendation of President McKinley, will do the knock-out act for these oppressors of the people.

It is to be Boss Goebel, as it was Boss Tweed, by virtue of the canvassing board, or is it to be Governor Taylor, by virtue of the ballot box and the suffrage of the people?

One more dose of Goebellism is the promise from that part of the gang in Kentucky. But promises are not always kept. The three commissioners are a hope to the people.

Mr. Stibley, of Pennsylvania, is one of the Democratic members of the house who will vote for the gold standard. The measure will have considerably more than a party support.

The Democratic press has many words of praise for the president's message. Of course a few of the carpers attempt criticism, but they are more disposed to compliment and applaud.

Speaker Henderson promises to be just as good a speaker as was Speaker Reed and will perform his official duties with the same good to the country. Yet it is no reflection to say they are very different men.

The Republican caucus has approved the house financial bill after the adoption of two amendments and it is now believed that the measure will be passed by the house before the Christmas recess. The resolution approving the bill was unanimously adopted.

What is known as the Pollak-Virag system of rapid automatic telegraphy has been tested in New York with astonishing effect. Four messages were sent at the rate of one thousand words a minute—almost as quick as thought itself. The system promises to revolutionize telegraphy.

There was not an argument by a Goebellite before the state canvassing board which was not a reflection upon the speaker's intelligence, knowledge of law and just idea of justice. These speeches will hang to their makers throughout life like a brand and sooner or later will relegate them to the obscurity they merit.

Dr. John A. Stafford, Robert Watson and Samuel Lucas, defeated Republican candidates for representative in Louisville, have notice Wednesday, through their attorney, R. C. Kirkwood, that they will contest the seats of the three successful Democrats, Messrs. John M. Lettice, Chris Mueller and Albert Charlton. The general ground for complaint is that the Republicans were denied representation at the polls.

If the state Democrats should succeed as many hope to do to get rid of its Goebel leaders the Republicans next year would have a few words of their best steel, if there were not so many Goebellites among the Democrats. But an honest foe is preferable to all others, and hence the Republicans hope for Democratic success in its efforts to relegate its naturally leaders to the rear and obscurity.

Humanity and education will do much for the Philippines, but the gun will have to be used instead of the rod to a great extent for years to come. This was and is still the case with the American Indian, and the Philippines as a general thing, from all reports, is but a little more intelligent than was or is poor Lo. But the trinity of our government is the strong arm of peace, through war if necessary, and education and humanity.

The leader is getting credit for fairness to which it is not entitled, will not altogether. It is being published throughout the state as one of many Goebel papers which has said Taylor was elected and was entitled to the certificate. The Leader did say this in plain language, but it is attacked and has since said to the contrary and more for Goebel. But the trouble with the Leader is its "unwarranted" two editors with various contrary ideas, and this is why the paper is so inconsistent.

Anxious as the Democrats are to make political capital of every incident, eager as they are to take advantage of every technical mistake of the Republicans, they hesitate to expose the overwhelming sentiment in the United States against polygamy. It had been prophesied that there would be uproar and confusion over the Roberts incident, but by the consent of one party and by the vote of another the polygamist was denied

the privilege of sitting in the house even while his case was under consideration.

With the executive and legislative powers in thorough accord and both houses promptly taking up practical measures, the present session of congress gives promise of carrying legislation that will remove the financial question of 1894 from the arena of politics.

Bryan may have to accept the Nebraska senatorship vacancy created by the death of Mr. Hayward just to relieve the governor from an embarrassing position which promises to be brought about by a war fight on the place by Editor Hitchcock and ex-Senator Allen. The place has already been offered to Mr. Bryan and by him declined.

The Memphis Commercial attributes the failure of the Harper Brothers publishing house to the fact that the company has been ignoring the American author for the Englishman. The paper advises the successors of the company to recognize the facts in the trouble and give the talent of the states the recognition due and prosper by this foresight. The advice is good.

The special correspondents and Gen. Otis tell different stories as to the outlook in the Philippines. Luzon especially. The correspondents say Aguinaldo is in the woods with 40,000 soldiers and Otis says he is in the mountains with a haggard few men and fleeing for a haven of safety. The correspondents must be wrong and Otis right, for the facts seem to be this way.

In his message the president urges that the secretary of the treasury, in order to enable him to "support the existing gold standard," and to preserve the parity between the metals shall "be given additional power, and charged with the duty to sell United States bonds and to employ such other effective means as may be necessary to these ends." Gold is flowing into the treasury instead of out of it, he says, but he adds that this "is the most fitting time to make adequate provision to insure the continuance of the gold standard, and of public confidence in the ability and purpose of the government to meet all its obligations in the money which the civilized world recognizes as the best." He repeats his former recommendation that part of the treasury gold shall be set apart as a trust fund for the redemption of greenbacks, these particular notes not to be paid out again unless in exchange for an equal amount of gold. This is all sound, in accordance with the line of purpose decided upon by the financial conference of the party's leaders, and will not doubt be the action of congress before the present session has ended.

The Louisville Courier-Journal almost endorses Mr. McKinley's ideas relative to the monetary question. Says the C-J: "It is a pleasure to see that the president, who before his election was so doubtful on the money question, and who even after his election went off in pursuit of the international agreement Jack-o'-lantern, has now learned that the country is in earnest in its demand for financial reform. Legislation effecting this is the first recommendation he makes in his message, after emphasizing the exceptional prosperity of the nation. This, he insists, is the best time to strengthen our monetary system against less favorable conditions in the future, and he repeats his suggestions regarding banks and the redemption of the greenbacks, and dwells upon the advisability of more firmly establishing the gold standard. He evidently not only recognizes the sentiment of the people on this matter, but he recognizes the fact that the Republican party, being now in full control of both the national legislative and executive departments, can no longer shrink this duty." What think the Bryanites of this expression of the great Goebellite leader?

WE ARE A WORLD POWER.

The Fifty-sixth congress, says Walter Wellman in his Washington letter to the Chicago Times-Herald, might well be called the first world congress in the history of our government. The United States has been making history by leaps and bounds since Fifty-fifth congress convened two years ago. Then events were culminating in the war between Spain and this country, and the great question under consideration both in congress and out among the people was the question of war or peace. Then the United States had no territorial possessions beyond its continental borders.

Now congress has to legislate, or prepare itself to legislate, for Cuba, the Philippines, Porto Rico, Hawaii, Guam and the Island of Tutuila in the Samoan group. From an insular nation we have in these two short years developed into a world power of the highest rank. Congress has new questions to deal with, and it is going to be worth while to watch with closest scrutiny the manner in which our national legislators meet the tremendous obligations thus thrust upon them.

One of the oldest employees of the state department, one who has occupied an important and confidential post through many administrations, is quoted by Wellman as speaking about the remarkable change that had come in these two years in the status of the

United States. "It seems but a year or two ago," he said, "that Washington was looked upon in diplomatic circles throughout the world as a sort of place of banishment. No first class diplomatists were sent to this capital. We were regarded as of such small importance that the legations here were used as a sort of makeshifts, and the diplomats, nearly always tried their best to avoid assignment to this city. Now the best men in every diplomatic service are selected for Washington. Probably there is not a capital in Europe that contains a higher average quality of skill and ability among the foreign embassies and legations than we have accredited to us here."

"Another and most gratifying evidence of our improved status in the eyes of the world," continued this old official, "is found in the manner in which all the nations are trying to get on good terms with us. We men here in the state department are amazed at the contrast with the present shows with the past in this respect. We see it and feel it every day. We can all remember when the diplomats, strictly traditional politeness a certain contempt for America and for our government. At times they were inclined to be just a trifle arrogant. Now it is all the other way. There is not a government in all the world that fails to show us in its every official act with us through the visits of its diplomatic representatives, that it wishes to cultivate the most friendly and cordial relations with the new world power."

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

The early bird catches the worm and the prudent shopper goes shopping for his or her Christmas presents before the counters are relieved of their choicest things. The fact that Christmas will be here before we know it inspires just now the annual rather hasty question, what Christmas presents shall I buy?

Philosopher Emerson contended that "the only gift is part of thyself." So a painter will present a picture, the poet a poem, the sculptor wrought marble and so on. All are not quite sure that this is the correct theory of gift-giving. Shall the poet present his friend with a poem, if it is aware that his friend does not care for verse? It may be said in reply that, even if one takes no interest in poetry, he will rejoice over a poem which comes to him from his friend the poet. As a poem, he may not be interested in the present, but as will be a poem written by his friend. There is something in this; all, it is perhaps better for the giver to consult the taste of the receiver rather than his own. "The only gift is a part of thyself" has a fine sound, but as a rule we may be sure that the most acceptable gift is the one which appeals to the likes of the person who gets it. It goes without saying, however, that the gift is not the main thing about any gift, but rather the loving spirit which prompts it. It is because of this truth that many a Christmas gift of little intrinsic value is held "above rubies." This consideration should teach people the folly of abstaining from giving presents at the holiday season to those of whom they are fond because they can not afford to give them costly ones. Nobody worth giving a present to overlooked a gift horse in the mouth.

The more giving the better at Christmas time. The soul that gives much is favored much. It is more blessed to give than to receive. It may be a truth which defies analysis, but every generous heart responds to it. It is the liberal and liberal in discharging, not in receiving benefits, which shall be made fat.

Beauty is Blood Deep.

Clean blood means a clean skin. No beauty without it. Casareta, Candy Catbar, clean your blood and keep it clean, by stirring up the liver and driving all impurities from the body. Begin today to banish pimples, boils, blotches, blackheads, and that sickly bilious complexion by taking Casareta—beauty for ten cents. All druggists, satisfaction guaranteed. 10c, 25c, 50c.

A seat on the New York Stock Exchange was Monday sold for \$40,000, the highest price ever paid.

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D. A. Yelzer, S. H. Winstead.

MYSTIC SHRINE CLASS.

A class to be initiated into the mystic shrine will be organized here, for which purpose Mr. John W. Landrum came up from Maryland yesterday. About twelve have been secured and the class will probably be initiated January 18 at Masonic hall by Shingas from Louisville, who will come by special train and be tendered a banquet at the Palmer afterwards. Only Masons are eligible to the order, although it is not a part of the Masonic system.

The disposition of children largely depends upon health. If they are troubled with worms, they will be irritable, cross, feverish and peevish, seriously sick. W. H. B. VERMIFUGE is a worm expeller and tonic to make them healthy and cheerful. Price 25c.

For sale by DuBois & Co.

HEART OF MARBLE.

HARTFORD, Conn., Dec. 8.—This city has produced a case of a girl with a marble heart. Andrea, eleven, a tailor, who recovered died at the hospital. An autopsy showed both arteries and the left ventricle covered with a deposit of calcium salts, the substance that makes marble. The deposit was from an exposure to a quarter of an inch thick and lay on the heart like a piece of armor plate. It was as hard as marble. Levin's heart weighed 16 ounces, four more than the normal heart.

Country sorghum 35 cents per gallon at Robertson & Givens'. 25c.

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of easy and almost painless childbirth are all told in a handsomely illustrated book entitled "Before Baby is Born." A copy of which will be sent free on request to every expectant mother. The book also tells about

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Having purchased a very large lot of case diamonds before the late raise in diamonds, I am in a position to offer rare bargains. My stock of Christmas goods is the largest ever brought to Paducah and prices will suit you. Call early and get choice.

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DEMAND FOR MULES.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Dec. 8.—The American mule seems to be making a considerable factor of itself in the British-Border South African war.

Purchases of mules in America for the use of the British government have already upset the calculations of American livestock men and seem destined to cause still greater trouble. Yesterday eleven carloads of mules passed through Memphis en route to New Orleans destined for the Transvaal to be used in British operations.

England has made within the past week a new demand upon the American mule market. She now asks for 10,000 more mules and the American dealers are bestirring themselves to supply this demand. This new demand has naturally had its effect upon the market, and in the opinion of the local dealers will send the price of mules up at least 10 or 15 percent, within the next thirty days.

Mewars of Gintments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surface. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the danger they will do is too great to be good. You can possibly derive from them, Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co., Testimonials free.

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Ability to Guess by Oneness is One of the Accomplishments of Most Butchers.

It is his business, of course, and he becomes expert at it, as a matter of fact, in any work, but the customer who pays any attention to it at all is sure to be interested, nevertheless, in the accuracy with which the butcher cuts off just the required amount of meat. Whether it is two pounds of steak, or four pounds of chops, or six pounds of corned beef, it's all the same to him. He cuts without long dwelling upon where to set the knives. He slices away sort of casual like and piles the saw, and lays the meat on the scales, and it does not vary more than a quarter of a half pound from the weight required, on even the heaviest piece, and on the lighter pieces he comes within an ounce or two, or hits it right on the nail.

A man, for instance, goes into a butcher shop and asks for three and a half or four pounds of, say, corn beef. The butcher gets a big piece out of the pile, lays it on a block, and picks up a knife, and, without the slightest hesitation, with one strong, smooth sweep, cuts off a piece, which he lays on the scales. It weighs three pounds and three-quarters; it is in weight exactly midway between the limits set.

The expert butcher gets his ability to do this naturally enough, from good judgment to start with, backed up by long experience, but when he cuts things as close as this, even the customer familiar with his skill looks upon him as a wizard. — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Was Predicted by Astrologists.

It appears that the present war in the Transvaal was plainly predicted by English astrologers. In the number of Modern Astrology for January, 1899, this prediction is made: "We have no hesitation in now saying that the climax of 1899 will be a great war. Africa, as ruled by this sign (Mars), will be the cause of great bloodshed and a great disturbance of universal peace." — N. Y. Sun.

Street Railway Magazine, Wilmer, of Philadelphia, will square himself with the reading angel by endorsing a \$250,000 bond for crippled children.

The post office department is arranging to have carriers register letters at residences and business houses.

FOR PNEUMONIA.

Dr. C. J. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich., says: "I have used Foley's Kidney and Urinary in three very severe cases of pneumonia the past month with good results."

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ENTERTAINED THE CHOIR.

The elders of the First Christian church last night entertained the choir in the reception room of the church. There were speeches and refreshments and the affair was most enjoyable. The church now has one of the best choirs in the city.

LOST.

Many have lost confidence and hope as well as health, because they have been told their kidney disease was incurable. Foley's Kidney Cure is a guaranteed remedy for the dis-eased and discolored.

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AN OCEAN RACE.

The navy is quite as much interested in the big ocean race which is now in progress from this country to the Philippines as in any other subject, which is supposed to engender the attention of our national defenders alike. The struggle between the Brooklyn and the New Orleans, which are fairly well matched as to register speed, is exciting the most curiosity.

The Brooklyn has been rated as one of the American navy's flyers, and while the New Orleans has been known to experts as a very fast vessel, the general public has not been able to get through the haze of her type.

In a rush. Consequently the news that the New Orleans has rapidly gained on her larger and heavier rival, and has actually reached Cebu right behind her, though considerably in the rear, has long since created some surprise and afforded an opportunity for speculation as to the result of the contest.

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\$30.00 worth of fine Fur Collars, Fur Collarettes, Elegant Famine Jackets, fine Imported Tailor Suits, Children's fine Sample Jackets, \$5.00 worth of fine Custom-made Dress Skirts, fine Wooden Waist, fine Silk and Satin Waist, \$30.00 worth of strictly fine Tailor Custom Samples at 33c on the dollar.

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### Dress Skirts.

1500 fine Dress Skirts at 33c on the dollar. Fine cloth skirts, fine Mohair skirts, fine Silk and Fawn skirts, Crepon skirts, fine Plaid skirts in every conceivable shade and combination. 250 fine Plaid Dress Skirts, regular price, \$3.00, sample sale price \$1.50.

### Rainy-Day Skirts.

The very newest and most serviceable piece of wearing apparel on the market today \$3.98 to \$9.98.

Fine Heavy Winter Suits, 50c, \$5c and \$10.00, worth \$2.00 or \$3.00. Fine Silk and Satin Waists at \$1.98 and \$2.98, worth \$4.00 and \$5.00. 150 fine silk suits, regular price \$10, sale price \$5.98.

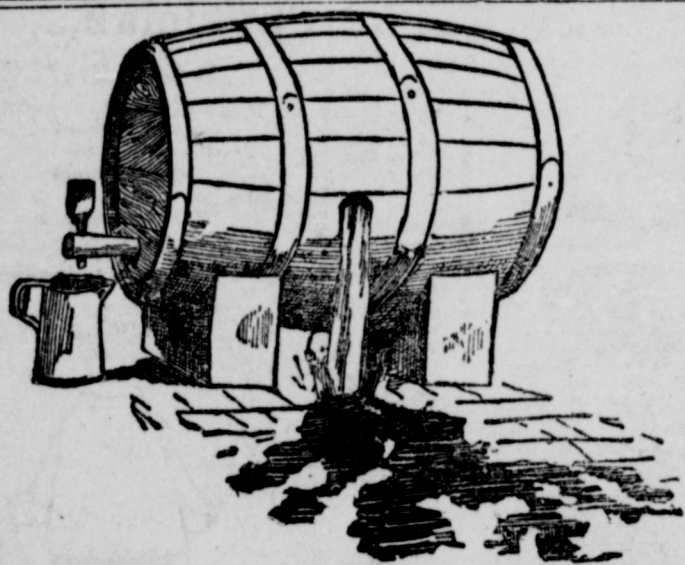
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Office 408 Broadway. Phone 261.

## Christmas Millinery At Cost!

We purchased too early in the season, so we find we are overstocked, and have decided to make a cut for the next ten days, and such a one as has never been equalled in this city before.

We have placed on sale all our pattern hats at actual cost, and some of them below cost.

Now is your time to buy a Xmas hat cheap.

- Our \$10 Hats go in this sale at \$6.98
- Our 8 Hats go in this sale at 5.98
- Our 7 Hats go in this sale at 4.98
- Our 5 Hats go in this sale at 3.75
- Our 4 Hats go in this sale at 2.98
- Our 3.50 Hats go at 2.23
- Our 2.50 Hats go at 1.98
- Our 2.00 Hats go at 1.25

Our ready-to-wear Autumn hats, in castor, pearl, black and brown, we are now selling at \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50. These hats are reduced from \$2.00, \$2.50 and \$3.00, and to see them is to be convinced they are far below actual value.

We have a nice assortment of eunille ornaments, tassels, talls, etc., suitable for Xmas gifts, and at the price we are selling them one could make a beautiful Xmas present at very little cost.

Come to the Bazaar and see these Chenille Ornaments, which we are selling cheap to close them out. Some of them are beauties, at

## W. V. OWEN, Dentist.

Office Up-stairs, No. 302 1-2 Broadway

**CLOSING OUT PRICES.**

Good rice, per pound, 5 cents.

Irish potatoes, per peck, 15 cents.

Best patent flour, per bbl, \$4.00.

25c bottle Snyder's Ketchup, 20c.

Non-dried tomatoes and corn, per can, 7 1/2c.

15 bars Key soap, 25 cents.

Fruit cake material—all kinds, cheap.

Full line toilet soaps, cheap.

Brush, per 100 pounds, 75 cents.

Timothy hay, per 100 pounds, 65c.

Everything else in proportion.

**I. L. RANDOLPH,** 123 South Second street, Phone 89.

**Bargain.**

One New Century Calligraphy typewriter. One New Williams typewriter for sale. Call at Sun office.

Huyler's licorice lozenges at Soule's.

FOR SALE—A new Century Calligraphy typewriter. Will be sold at a bargain for cash. The best machine made and entirely new. Call at the Sun office if you wish to see a machine just like the one to be sold.

Call at Robertson & Givens and get your fresh roasted coffee. 103 South Second street.

Your Xmas dinner is not complete without a package of Huyler's—only at Soule's.

**Hickory Stove Wood.**

Telephone 442 and get nice hickory stove wood, for heating and cooking. \$1.25 for two horse wagon. 64m E. E. BELL.

Dr. King Brooks will after January 1st remove his dental office to 309 Broadway, over Lender & Lydon's shoe store.

Dr. J. E. Coyle, office 1531 Broadway, residence 1110 South Fourth street. Office telephone 375, residence telephone 432.

FOR RENT—Nice room. Call on Dr. Rodick & Rivers, Sixth and Broadway.

## THE ONLY Steam Cleaning WORKS IN THE CITY.

Clothes called for and delivered free.

**Friedman**

The Tailor.

109 North Fourth street.

Steam Cleaning Works

Phone No. 20.

## LOCAL LINES.

—Mr. Jake Davis, an Illinois Central switchman, had a finger on his right hand mashed off yesterday while coupling cars. He is a brother of Captain B. B. Davis.

—All Hester, colored, was yesterday afternoon held to answer for violation of the internal revenue laws by U. S. Commissioner Puryear. His bond was fixed at \$300, which he has not given. He lives in Mayfield.

—Deputy U. S. Marshal LaRue went down the N. C. & St. L. this morning on business.

—Major Thomas E. Moss is now an Elk. He was initiated last night, a large crowd being in attendance.

—One of Willie's backs, 425, was carried from the Union depot to the stable in a very short time late yesterday afternoon. The horses ran away, but did no damage.

—Stationman John Slaughter is resting easy with his broken leg at his home on the South Side. It will be sometime, however, before he can get out again.

—The poor house is still on the boom, as it were, and the new keeper, Mr. Pargett, is making a good one, and is giving the inmates every attention.

—Officer Frank Harlan is somewhat improved from a brief illness. Yesterday he was quite ill, but managed to look after the duties of his office just the same.

—At the Rescue Mission, 431 South Third street, the good women of the W. C. T. U. wish to meet all the children and others Saturday at 2:30 p.m. to organize the children into a Legal Temperance League. Services every night at 7:30. All are cordially invited. R. W. Childs, Superintendent.

—Board of Stewards of Broadway Methodist church will meet at the church tonight at 7:30. It is very important that every member of the board should be present. B. H. Scott, Chairman.

—One of the prettiest show windows in the city is that at George Rock & Sons. It has a representation of Santa Claus, which never fails to attract the little folks, as well as the big ones, as they pass. It is artistically gotten up, and will well repay one to stop and see it.

—Major Thomas E. Moss, who now wears the horns of which every Elk is proud, last night entertained the members of Paducah Lodge, at the Buffet, after the initiation. There was quite a crowd present, and a most enjoyable evening was spent by those in attendance.

—This has been a pleasant day.

—All circles of the city were lively today.

## SUPT. HARAHAN HERE.

Supt. W. J. Harahan, of the Illinois Central, arrived last night and was busy today considering matters concerning the road here. He and General Manager Wallace, of the Street Railway company, are working on plans for the street car line to the new depot, but nothing definite has been done.

## TO LIGHT CONSUMERS.

The best electric globe only 20c at Hank Bros & Jones.

We roast our own coffee every other day. Robertson & Givens.

Ice-cream all winter at Soule's.

A line of chocolates, sour drops, marshmallows, etc., in 5c packages at Soule's.

Soule's hair is most excellent for the skin.

Rough and chapped skin give way to Soule's Balm.

Soule is headquarters for PURE ground pepper. Try a pound for 20c.

Dr. J. W. Pendley, office 116 South Fifth street. Residence 2818 Broadway. Office telephone 415, residence telephone 415.

## Notice to Gas Consumers.

Gas bills for the past month are now due. Unless paid on or before the 10th of the month the gas will be discontinued and not turned on again until paid. Liberal discount is given for prompt payment at the office of the company, on Broadway, if paid before the 6th. S. A. FOWLER, Receiver.

Fresh bear hound drops at Soule's.

ROOMS FOR RENT—At No. 103 South Second street.

Smoked white fish for sale by Jake Biederman Grocery Company.

Damages. 1 Cent Costs, \$700.

In the District Court at Oakley the other day a jury gave Mr. Kepple one cent damages against Mr. O'Neil on account of some injury done to Mr. Kepple's crops by Mr. O'Neil's sheep. But this verdict carried with it \$700 in costs, and if Mr. O'Neil will now appeal to the Supreme Court Kansas may yet be able to rival that celebrated Iowa calf case—Kansas City Journal.

## ABOUT PEOPLE.

Madames Sheriff and Shumaker, of Minnesota, are guests of relatives here.

Mrs. Emily Deems, of Grand Rivers, is visiting the family of Mr. J. Haycock.

Mrs. Bill Burkholder has been entertaining a house party at her home on the Benton road this week.

Mr. Gilbert McKey and wife, of Golconda, were in the city today.

Mr. Geo. H. Powell, of Louisville, is at the Palmer.

Miss Wallerstein, of Paducah, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Bernheim, says the Louisville Times.

Mr. W. H. Roberts, of near Mayfield, is in the city with the prospects of locating.

Mrs. M. Bloom returned this morning from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Fred Einstein, at St. Louis.

Mr. Victor Van De Meule came in this morning from Mayfield and Fulton.

Mr. Chas. Brower has returned from a trip to Tennessee.

Mrs. F. H. Stewart has about recovered from her recent illness.

Mrs. Harry Williams is out after a ten days' illness.

Mrs. J. N. Robinson, of Randville, was in the city today.

Messrs. J. H. McCorkle and Bob Gibson, of Yazoo City, Miss., were at the New Richmond today.

Mr. A. A. Peck, of Golconda, Ill., was at the New Richmond today.

Mr. James H. Wyatt, of Woodville, at the New Richmond today.

Mr. J. Y. Boyd, of Edgelyville, was at the Palmer today.

Mr. Urey Kevill, of Princeton, was at the Palmer today.

Mr. J. B. Walker, of Hopkinsville, at the Palmer today.

Editor Lee Elmore, of Mayfield, is in the city today.

Mrs. Warwick M. Cowgill entertained the Young Ladies' Club club yesterday afternoon. Miss May Terrell won the club prize, a fern dish, and also won the lone hand prize, a dainty vase, but gave it to Miss Elizabeth Simet, and Miss Clara Thompson, who tied for the next highest number of games, to cut for, and Miss Simet won. Madames Margaret Leavitt and Charles McCut tied for the visitor's prize, a Betchen bust, and Mrs. Leavitt won it. An elegant luncheon was served after the games.

Mr. Thomas C. Leech went to Louisville this morning on a brief visit.

## Only a Few Left

Of these blue black beaver overcoats worth \$9 that we are selling for \$5.50

GRAND LEADER, 323 Broadway.

## ANOTHER FINE SERMON.

Rev. Kerry Smith preached another excellent sermon last night at the Second Presbyterian church on "The Essentials of Prayer." Much interest is being manifested in these services. The singing of Rev. Smith is one of the features of the revival.

Buy your fruits for Fruit Cake from Jake Biederman Grocery Company.

## HUNTER LEFT HIS COAT.

Mr. Charles King, who resides on North Sixth street, this morning found a canvas coat left by some hunter, on his front porch when he arose. The pockets were stuffed with quail rabbits and ammunition, and Mr. King at last accounts, had not found the owner.

Call and see these fine Balauns, at Jake Biederman Grocery Company's.

Finest line of Brass Lamps and Oxyx Stands ever shown in the city from \$3.00 up. Gloves & Sons.

## They Ran Away

From their old trading place and bought their clothing at the Grand Leader, 323 Broadway, where they saw they could save at least 20 per cent.

## TO LIGHT CONSUMERS.

The best electric globe only 20c at Hank Bros & Jones.

Call at Parker & Co's restaurant, No. 125 South Second street. We have just received a select lot of fresh oysters, Baltimore select and Louisville standard, which we are selling, fast at 40c per quart. Also the finest sliced ham in town for 25c per pound. In fact as good a lunch counter as you will find in the country. Open day and night. 542

Madame La Moisse, the world renowned medium, can be consulted on all affairs of life. She is renowned for her readings of past and future events of life, and gives advice on business of all nature, and is a genuine spirit medium. She is located at 326 South Third street.

Smoked White Fish just received at Jake Biederman Grocery Company's.

Call on cases of Rheumatism and also tonics at Jake Biederman Grocery Company's.

## G. W. ROBERTSON

Will sell more goods for the money than any house in the city. See his prices.

Granulated sugar, 20 lbs. for \$1. Salt, \$1 per barrel.

1 doz. cans best standard tomatoes, 90 cents.

1 doz. cans best standard corn, 90c.

Best Robertson country whiskey, strictly pure, \$2 per gallon.

Kentucky whiskey, \$1.50 per gallon.

Strictly first-class patent flour, only \$4 per barrel.

All goods at the bottom price. 5415

Heinz's preserves, Jellies and apple butter at Robertson & Givens. 542

## TO LIGHT CONSUMERS

The best electric globe only 20c at Hank Bros & Jones.

Call at Robertson & Givens, 542

## AN ELKS HOME

First Steps Taken to Secure One for Paducah Lodge.

Committees Appointed Last Night to Take the Matter in Hand.

Paducah Lodge, No. 217, B. P. O. E., is in a prosperous condition, having money in bank at interest and money in the treasury, and one of the largest and best memberships in the city. There is much enthusiasm among the members, and they have decided to build an Elks home here, where all meetings will be held, with the club rooms as well as lodge room.

With this view Exalted Ruler A. C. Atkins last night appointed two committees to take up the work. The first one is to look after the selection of a site, suitable for an Elks hall, and is composed of: Messrs. Sam Hughes, R. G. Caldwell, G. A. Davis, Ed Farley, M. W. Johnson and Wm. Kraus.

The other committee is to devise ways and means of raising the necessary amount to make the purchase and complete details.

The lodge of course does not expect that the new hall will be built up at once, but it has taken a wise step, and it could have not been taken too soon. The success of the plan will depend largely on the good work of the committees.

## Do You Know

That we are selling suits and overcoats cheaper today than ever.

GRAND LEADER, 323 Broadway.

## DR. SANDERS IN CHARGE.

Dr. F. T. Rivers has turned over the city hospital and all the city practice coming under the city physician's duties, to City Physician Lillard Sanders, who is now in complete control, and will do all vaccinating of poor children at the city hall. Dr. Sanders has not been qualified, as his bond has not been offered to the council as yet.

Hardsome line of Shirts, Suits, Boots, China Closets, Dining Tables and Chairs. Gloves & Sons.

## FINE DOG KILLED.

City Prosecuting Attorney J. Wheeler Campbell went hunting yesterday, and in the field had the misfortune to accidentally shoot his fine pointer bird dog, "Mark Hanna."

The animal was almost instantly killed, and was valued very highly by Mr. Campbell, both for his excellent breeding and his worth as a hunter.

## You're on the Right Road.

When you go to the Grand Leader, 323 Broadway, for your clothing, furnishing goods, hats, caps and gloves.

Ladies' Docks, Dressing Tables, Jar-dinere Stands, Foot Stools and India Stools, suitable for presents. Gloves & Sons.

## The Kentucky Glass and Queensware Co.

INCORPORATED

## WILL SPREAD A DISPLAY OF

## Holiday Goods About December 13

At their warerooms, 117-119 North Third street.

China specialties, such as

## DOLLS

China Heads and Limbs, Composition Dolls, Bisque Dolls, Kid Body, Washable Dolls, Cheap Vases, Bisque Figures, Bohemian Water Sets, Wine Sets, Tin Toys.

Cake Plates, Salad bowls, Cottage Sets, Dinner Sets, Chamber Sets, Toy Tea Sets, Cups and Saucers, Mugs, Cuspidors, Ornaments.

If you want WHOLESALE PRICES in retail quantities, wait until you have seen us.

## NOAH'S ARK.

## SANTA CLAUS HAS ARRIVED.

## WATCH HIM.

He requests all children to deposit their letters in the mail box at Noah's Ark, stating their wants, and he will announce later when they can talk to him personally.

## THE RIVER NEWS.

Cairo 6.5, fall. Chattanooga 1.5, fall. Cincinnati 6.5, fall. Evansville 4.9, fall. Florence, missing. Johnsonville 0.9, fall. Louisville 3.9, fall. Mt. Carmel 1.0, fall. Nashville 1.3, stand. Paducah 2.7, stand. Pittsburgh 6.0, rise. St. Louis 4.8, stand.

Observation taken at 7 a. m. River 2.7 feet on the gauge; no change in last 24 hours. Wind northeast; calm. Weather cooler and foggy. Temperature 33. Fell. Observe.

The Fannie Wallace, belonging to the Paducah Coal and Mining Co. here, has been sent to Memphis, where she will be used by the same company there in charge of Captain Reese.

The Kentucky, Captain Wm. Edwards master, left for Tradewater mines to load barges with coal for Memphis.

The new towboat J. M. Lender, built on the marine ways, will make a trial trip today. If she doesn't prove very fast, she deceives her looks.

The Tennessee got in last night from Tennessee river with a big trip. She leaves on return trip tomorrow at 5 p. m.

We are having lovely weather again, but the kind to make bread and butter for river men as they require water, and lots of it, a steady general rain would be a grateful visitation of Providence.

The Richardson pulled out for Cairo this morning with a healthy looking trip for Cairo and way points.

There seems to be no hope in the minds of river men for a good boating stage of water until after the holidays, at the earliest.

There is a movement on foot and will develop in a few days for the settlement of the Fred A. Banks' claims. Captain Brunner is in the city with a view of releasing his boat, by paying all claims against her.

The Bob Dudley is due from Evansville this evening at 6 o'clock. She will leave on return trip shortly after arrival.

Captain Mark Cole has been confined to the house for a few days with a severe attack of grippe. But was able to be on the streets today.

When, oh when, will we see good old steamboating days again. The long spell of six months low water has dried up all hope of the mariner. And now they have reconciled themselves with the idea of not having good boating stage of water until the first of January.

SATCHEL, Miss, December 8.—The steamer Satchel, sunk November 10, twelve miles below Natchez, at Ford's Crossing, was successfully floated last night. The hole in her bottom was 2 by 4 feet and it was her heavy cargo that caused her to fill and go down so rapidly. The underwriters will bear the bulk of the cost of raising and refitting her in shape for a resumption of business. The towboat Resolute, from Vicksburg, passed south today to tow the Satchel to New Orleans, where she will be diked and repaired as quickly as possible. All the divers left for their homes this afternoon.

The Spread Eagle and Hal'd Eagle arrived from St. Louis last night and took their old winter quarters above Island Creek.

Captain Cronch says he will leave here next Monday with his new boat Charleston. She will be engaged this winter in handling corn below Cairo in the bends.

Subscribe for The Sun.

## A coal saver

It has been demonstrated that the celebrated

## Moore's Air-Tight Heaters

use LESS COAL, give MORE HEAT and are more attractive than any other soft coal heater made. We guarantee every one to give entire satisfaction. Sold only by

## Scott Hardware Company

Incorporated

Sign of Big Hatchet Big White Store on Broadway

## Removal!

## C. F. SCHRADER

Announces to the citizens of Paducah that he has removed to 233 NORTH THIRTEENTH STREET, corner of Monroe. In his new and commodious quarters you will find one of the finest, largest, freshest, most complete lines of GROCERIES, PROVISIONS, PRODUCE, etc., ever opened in the city. He extends a cordial invitation to all to call and inspect his goods, and assures them the closest market quotations. In the rear of the store will be found the best of wines, liquors, brandies, cigars, etc.

## A Straight Pointer.

As you all know Xmas is near at hand and most everybody will get a Little Jug of

## WHISKEY, BRANDY OR GIN.

So why not get something GOOD, pure and wholesome for your money. You are sure to find all these qualities in S. STARK'S Ferndale 4-year old Kentucky Sour-Mash Bourbon Whiskey. If goods are not as I recommend them, will cheerfully refund your money. Remember this is

S. STARK, 120 S. 2nd street.

In same place where I have been for past eight years. Look for sign—Big Blue Barrel, in middle of block. S. STARK, Paducah, Ky.

## The Advance In Clothing

Does not affect the prices of our fall suits and overcoats, which we bought before wool went up; hence we are able to quote you the following prices—for